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## RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF INCOMPLETE REPLY

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Notification of Incomplete Reply dated September 14, 2006, Applicants hereby provisionally elect a polymethine dye from Table 1 as required by the species election of section 3 of the Action of June 9, 2006.

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